

State of Utah DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES Division of Oil, Gas & Mining

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Inspection Report Minerals Regulatory Program

Date: November 4, 2008

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Mine Name: A to Z Minerals	Permit Number: S0230075		
Operator Name: Gold Canyon Mining & Development	Inspection Date: 10/30/2008		
Inspector(s): Brett Gregory (for Leslie Heppler)	Time: 1:00 pm		
Other Participants: None	Mine Status: Inactive		
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1.	Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds			
2.	Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)		\boxtimes	
3.	Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control			
4.	Deleterious Material			
5.	Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)			
6.	Concurrent Reclamation	\boxtimes		
7.	Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes)			
8.	Water Impoundments			
9.	Soils			
10.	Re-vegetation			
11.	Air Quality			
12.	Other			

Bond Amount: \$10,000 **Permit fee**: Delinquent for 2007 & 2008.

<u>Purpose of Inspection</u>: This was a routine annual inspection. The previous inspector was unable to evaluate the site last year due to a locked gate; for that reason alone, an inspection was necessary.

Inspection Summary: Photos are attached and are from multiple sites. There is a lot of abandoned equipment in the area and disturbance, it is unclear what is related to the community pit and what is related to the A to Z permit.

- 1) Annual permit fees need to be paid in the amount of \$300 dollars. NOV will be issued.
- 2) Large amounts of trash are documented in this report. Trash needs to be removed.
- 6) The disturbance to the north is small and can easily be reclaimed. The hillside further south is disturbed, a backhoe and trailer on site have not been used
- 10) The access road to the north is inundated with Russian Thistle, there has been little to no activity.

<u>Conclusions and Recommendations</u>: Permit fees are delinquent, the site must be reclaimed. DOGM recommends BLM to close and reclaim. DOGM will continue to monitor this site.

Inspector's Signature

LAH:BG

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Deleterious fine material, to remediated.



Garbage, to be removed.

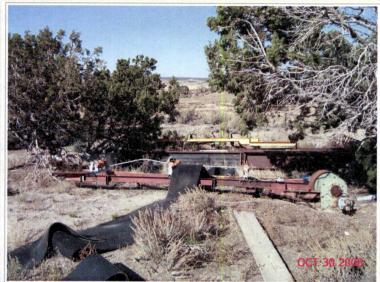


Silo garbage, to be removed.



Garbage, to be removed.

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Garbage, to be removed.



Backhoe, to be removed.



Trailer on site, to be removed.

Southern hillside - regrading, ripping and seeding required.